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February Meeting: 52nd Annual QCESC Banquet

Please join us for the 52nd Annual Quad City Engineering & Science Council Banquet. The event will include networking social hour, silent auction, displays, dinner, Order of the Engineer inductions, scholarship presentations to high school students, annual awards and keynote speaker Donald Bossi, President of FIRST (an acronym for "For Inspiration and Recognition of Science and Technology). This banquet is held during National Engineers week, and everyone is cordially invited to attend this premier, annual event to celebrate, network, and pay tribute to the great Engineering and Science Professionals and Educators we have in the Quad City Region. This includes supporting the next generation of Engineering and Science Professionals through outreach to students providing them with real world experiences. During the social hour, there will be a silent auction and a number of displays from technical societies, colleges and universities, and student displays including Project Lead the Way along with student teams from each of the four,

FIRST Robotics programs supporting students age 6-18 (K-12).

February 20th, 2014 **MEETING DATE:**

LOCATION: The Lodge Hotel and Conference Center

> 900 Spruce Hills Drive Bettendorf, IA

5:00 PM Social/ Networking with STEM & Education Displays AGENDA:

6:00 PM Seating for Dinner

6:45 PM Program with Awards and Scholarships

7:15 PM Keynote Speaker

MENU CHOICES: 1) Iowa Pork Chop Center Cut

2) Grilled Salmon Fillet

3) Chicken Stuffed with Ham and Swiss Cheese

COST: \$40 per person

\$30 full-time student

RESERVATIONS: Please register by 1200 on February 18, 2014

> at: http://www.qcesc.org/Banquet/banquet.htm As an alternative, mail a check prior to the banquet made out to "QCESC" to QCESC, PO Box 1166, Bettendorf, IA 52722 or email treasurer@qcesc.org

with questions.

Please note that payments will not be taken at the

door

Volunteers Needed for the Boy Scout Engineering Merit Badge Workshop

The SAME Boy Scout Engineering Merit Badge Workshop will be held on February 22, 2014 from 8:30 to 4 PM at the Davenport Public Works Building at 1200 East 46th Street. This will be the 5th year that SAME has introduced a group of 60-70 scouts between the ages of 11 and 17 to the aspects and value of Engineering. Volunteers are needed to be able to continue to bring this workshop to the Scouts. Please contact Roger Perk at Roger.A.Perk@usace.army.mil or 309-794-5227 to volunteer.

University of Iowa Student Post

The student post is in need to speakers for the months of February, March, and April. If any post members are looking for a way to get more involved, assistance is needed with the leadership of the student chapter. Contact Heather Day for more information – dayheather@stanleygroup.com.

Secretary's Corner

The Post Secretary encourages you to submit fellow SAME members for National Level awards and to write articles for the SAME magazine and other publications. The secretary can help send articles to SAME Headquarters. Send a copy of accomplishments, award information, and anything going for publication to the Secretary, Michael.J.Tarpey@usace.army.mil.

PE Exam Review Webinars

Prepare for the Spring PE exam with the ASCE PE Exam Study Webinar Series. The schedule for each session is below. Please contact Rick Nickel for registration and any additional information. Email Rick at <u>Richard.T.Nickel@usace.army.mil</u> or call 309-794-5210.

Date	Session	Location
Tuesday, Feb 4	Structural Analysis	ABC Conf Room
Thursday, Feb 6	Strength of Materials	Fishbowl Conf Room
Tuesday, Feb 11	Structural Design	OD Conf Room
Thursday, Feb 13	Construction Materials	Fishbowl Conf Room
Tuesday, Feb 18	Hydraulics	ABC Conf Room
Thursday, Feb 20	Hydrology	Fishbowl Conf Room
Tuesday, Feb 25	Waste and Water Treatment	ABC Conf Room
Thursday, Feb 27	Geometric Design	OD Conf Room
Tuesday, Mar 4	Geomechanics	ABC Conf Room
Thursday, Mar 6	Foundation Engineering	Fishbowl Conf Room
Tuesday, Mar 11	Engineering Cost Analysis	OD Conf Room
Thursday, Mar 13	Construction Scheduling and Estimating	Fishbowl Conf Room
Monday, Mar 17	Construction Depth Session	Library Conf Area
Tuesday, Mar 18	Geotechnical Depth Session	Fishbowl Conf Room
Wednesday, Mar 19	Structures Depth Session	ABC Conf Room
Thursday, Mar 20	Transportation Depth Session	ABC Conf Room
Friday, Mar 21	Water Resources Depth Session	Fishbowl Conf Room

2014 SAME Events Calendar Draft To add events to the calendar, email Michael Tarpey at Michael.J.Tarpey@usace.army.mil			
Friday, January 17, 5:30 PM	Installation of Officers	Dean Cerny Dean.R.Cerny@usace.army.mil	
January 30-31	Post Leaders Workshop – Las Vegas, NV	www.same.org	
Jan 31 st -Feb 1 st	Student Leaders Workshop – Las Vegas, NV	www.same.org	
February 20	QCESC Dinner	www.qcesc.org	
February 22 8:30-4	Davenport Public Works Building, Davenport, Iowa	Roger Perk, 309-794-5227 Roger.A.Perk @usace.army.mil	
Thursday, March 13 11:30 AM	TBD	Michael Tarpey, 309-794-5593 <u>Michael.J.Tarpey@usace.army.mil</u>	
April 7 th -8 th	TISP Critical Infrastructure Symposium, Colorado Springs, CO	Michael Tarpey, 309-794-5593 Michael.J.Tarpey@usace.army.mil	
Thursday, April 10 11:30 AM	Joint Meeting with ASCE	Michael Tarpey, 309-794-5593 Michael.J.Tarpey@usace.army.mil	
Thursday, May 8 11:30	Regular Meeting	Michael Tarpey, 309-794-5593 Michael.J.Tarpey@usace.army.mil	
May 20-23	Joint Engineer Education & Training Conference & Expo, Orlando, FL	www.same.org	
Wednesday, June 18 11:30 AM	Regular Meeting	Michael Tarpey, 309-794-5593 Michael.J.Tarpey@usace.army.mil	
Thursday, July 10 11:30 AM	Regular Meeting	Michael Tarpey, 309-794-5593 Michael.J.Tarpey@usace.army.mil	
August XX	Scholarship Golf Outing, Muscatine, IA	Heather Day, Stanley Consultants <u>DayHeather@stanleygroup.com</u>	
August XX	X-Stream River Clean-up	TBD	
Thursday, September 11 11:30 AM	Regular Meeting	Michael Tarpey, 309-794-5593 Michael.J.Tarpey@usace.army.mil	
October XX	October Training Conference	Mike Ryan, mryan@hrgreen.com	
Thursday, November 13 11:30 AM	National Security Meeting	Cory Haberman Cory.J.Haberman@usace.army.mil	
November 19-21	2014 Ohio Valley and Great Lakes Engineer Training Symposium (JETS), Louisville, KY	Michael Tarpey, 309-794-5593 Michael.J.Tarpey@usace.army.mil	
Wednesday, December 17, 11:30 AM	Regular Meeting	Michael Tarpey, 309-794-5593 Michael.J.Tarpey@usace.army.mil	